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From: Jerry W Coick [jerrycannec@comporium.net]

Sent: Thursday, July 21, 2005 10:46 AM

To: Easterling, Deborah

Subject: PSC Website Comments:Rate hike for Rock Hill Comporium Communications

I have read in the newspaper this week that our local telephone and communications provider in Rock Hill - Comporium Communications - is seeking a rate increase through the PSC. I would like to express my feelings for you to take into consideration for this rate hike. They talk of a savings for bundling services , I have four services through them and am not eligible for a savings because I don't have the premium services that the more wealthy have . My wife and I are both retired and on fixed incomes but do have (1) telephone services with them (2). cell phone services with them (3). dial up telephone internet services and (4). cable tv services ( basic \$46.00 per month with a \$2.00 increase as of 7-1-05) Why should a bundling savings only be for premium services when you have 4 services? We need some competition in the Rock Hill area to help keep the cost down and help from the PSC denying rate increases that are not justified until things can be changed to get out of this monoply we are in .

Sincerely, Jerry Couick

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